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## Bellefontaine Republican

J. Q. A. CAMPBELL, - - Editor.

TUESDAY, SEPT. 27, 1898.

D. & L. N. R. B. Time Card.

Trains arrive at Bellefontaine as follows:

GOING SOUTH.

No. 9.....8:44 a. m.

No. 50.....5:57 p. m.

GOING NORTH.

No. 54.....8:44 a. m.

No. 8.....5:01 p. m.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

Next week—County Fair.

The Band tournament will try it again next Friday.

The Commissioners have a ditch view every day this week.

Nearly all the sheep and hog pens at the fair are "taken."

Forty eight are lights were broken by the hail storm Saturday.

N. R. Sammes's store has been moved from Quincy to Versailles, Darke county.

Children have more need of models than of critics.—Joubert.

That West Indian hurricane is reported to have been the worst in a century.

In the Ohio Penitentiary there are 2,292 males, and 31 females. Who says women are not better than men.

A large canvas tent will be used at the fair, for the poultry house. This is said to be far better than a frame building.

A report of window glass has been broken on the inside of the house can see through it, but it is opaque to those on the outside.

Rev. J. L. Albritton has been transferred from the Central Ohio Conference to the Montana Conference where he has accepted a call at \$2,500 a year.

Ensign Linn and wife from Toledo, will be at the Salvation Army barracks Friday evening. Mrs. Linn is known throughout the country as the Welsh Nightingale.

Rev. S. S. Adams and Secretary J. S. VanHise, go to Lima next Thursday, to attend the annual meeting of Wittenburg Synod. Rev. Adams is the Synodical Secretary.

Rev. A. H. Orr, of Michigan, will hold communion services at the U. P. church at Huntville, Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m. Preparatory services Friday evening and Saturday at 2 o'clock.

The Army and Navy League find soldiers on trains every day, and every woman in the town would offer to assist in this work, could they but see the pleasure these lunches give.

Cats got into George Rife's pen of Belgian hares, Saturday and Sunday nights and killed, thirteen of the little ones. The next time that old cat comes around it will find George on guard with a Belgian musket.

Sergeants Harry Stilwell and Earl Detrick, Corporal Detrick, Private Gail Stevenson, Roy Kemper, John J. Haines and Glen Bramble, of Company F, have come to our city from Camp Poland since the last issue of the REPUBLICAN.

A drayman in our city, when the halibut struck him, Saturday, jumped from his dray and ran for shelter, leaving his horse standing in the middle of the road during the whole storm, and the poor animal never flinched.

Ironton Republican:—The Republican administration is a year and a half old, and the gold reserve in the United States treasury is over \$240,000,000. Sound money, good government, prosperity and Republicanism have strong affinities.

We are happy to announce that work has been begun toward laying a cement walk from the Marquis hardware store to the Peoples' Bank corner, but our subscribers need not refrain on that account from coming up stairs to pay their subscriptions.

Rev. Mr. C. C. Vaughn, Vice-Commander of Kentucky and Superintendent for twenty-five years, of the schools for Rushville, Kentucky, is the guest of Prof. Stewart of this city, and gave the REPUBLICAN office a very pleasant call yesterday. Mr. Vaughn and Prof. Stewart were boys together in the same family.

Saturday night, George Charlton, living two miles east of Kenton, hearing a noise at his chicken coop, went out to learn the cause. His sister hearing the scuffle, ran out, and seeing two men struggling on the ground, struck the one on top in the head with an axe, inflicting a wound from which he will probably die. She thought her brother was under, but it was he who was on top and received the blow.

## PERSONALS.

Mrs. Mame Kalb Richards, of Dunkirk, N. Y., arrived Friday night to attend the celebration of her father's 35th anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. El Seaff returned Friday night, from a trip up the lakes.

Mr. Glen Bramble returned from Camp Poland, Sunday night, on sick leave.

Rev. Samuel West, of Denver, Col., father of Prosecuting Attorney Samuel West, is visiting his brother, Judge W. H. West.

Mr. James Akey and wife of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Frank Akey and wife, of Wray, Colorado, are visiting Mr. Akey's brothers, Isaac and Ellis, in our city.

Mrs. Mame Brandon, of Cleveland, arrived Friday night, on a visit to her daughter, who is ill.

Mrs. Havighorst, Misses Lezzie and Anna Colton and Miss Carrie Butler went to Sidney to attend Conference yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sullivan and daughter, Miss Edna, of Kenton, visited Mrs. Sullivan's parents over Sunday.

Mr. Kenneth Lawrence, soldier boy of the 15th Indiana Volunteers, is the guest of his grandparents Judge and Mrs. Lawrence.

Mr. Frank Cotten spent Sunday in Urbana. Mr. Cotten loves Urbana.

Mrs. W. H. West and Miss Ida Barnett, of Bellefontaine, Ohio, are guests at the Colonial, Mr. Clemens, Michigan.

Mrs. Hattie Wilson was in Columbus Saturday.

Mr. Al McFarland, of Dayton, visited our city over Sunday.

Mr. Pearl Arthur, of Kenton, spent Sunday in our city.

Mrs. A. W. Elliott, of North Lewisburg, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ernest Humphreys.

Mr. and Mrs. Brand, Mrs. E. D. Whitlock and Mr. Whitlock went to Urbana, yesterday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fannie Brand.

Recorder and Mrs. Swisher left yesterday to attend the funeral of the widow of Mr. Swisher's brother in Mechanicsburg, O.

Dr. Charles Emerson is visiting his parents in this city.

Miss Crawford spent Sunday in Wapakoneta.

Mrs. Adda Moore, of Kenton, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLaughlin, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. McColloch are visiting friends in the West.

Mrs. David Skeen and Mrs. Marj Allen returned from Lima, the first of the week.

Miss Margaret Wallace left yesterday, to attend City Kindergarten training school in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Estelle Campbell will leave this evening, on the Knickerbocker, to visit her sister Mrs. Ora Erison, in Fulton Chain, New York. Mrs. Erison is seriously ill with consumption.

Dr. Chalfant was called to Cleveland Sunday night, to visit his brother who is in a hospital suffering with a wound.

Mr. Will Blessing is visiting his brother Mr. Frank Blessing.

Major Swisher's Address.

The St. Paris correspondent of the Urbana Times Citizen giving an account of the reunion of the 113th Ohio regiment, last week at that place, says:

At the afternoon session a fine address was made by Major Joseph Swisher, the orator of the day. The speaker graphically and eloquently narrated the history of the 113th in the war and was frequently interrupted by applause. The speaker said that Steadman's Division, to which the 113th belonged, in the bloody battle of Chickamauga had in four hours more men killed and wounded than were lost in the entire war with Spain. He spoke of the dying out of the feeling between the north and south and referred to old Wheeler fighting by the side of Shafter before Santiago and of Fitz Hugh Lee and General Kiefer being in command of the same army corps at Jacksonville. He closed with an eloquent tribute to the survivors of the 113th.

Coffee is to be cheaper. This is one of the results of the war. Nearly half of the world's crop comes to the United States, and we spend \$80,000,000 a year for it. Two-thirds of the supply comes from Brazil, which places an export duty of 11 per cent upon the fragrant berry. The finest coffee in the world is grown in Porto Rico, Cuba, and the Philippines, and under the stimulation of American enterprise these countries will, within a few years, be able to supply the world with coffee. This means a great deal to the American coffee-drinker.—Ex.

Miss Imogene Burt formerly of this city, is soon to be married to Mr. Chas. Hodges. Miss Burt is a charming young lady and very popular among her friends in this city.

The banns were published in St. Patrick's church Sunday morning, announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Ella Keiff to Mr. Edward Burk, of Nebraska. The announcement was a surprise.

## Ladies!

Read the advertisement of McCune's Millinery Opening. There is an unusual display at this popular store this season.

## Notice.

Lost a pair gold frame glasses. The finder will be suitably rewarded by leaving at Box 965, postoffice Bellefontaine.

J. F. KAYLOR

## The Second Regiment.

During his visit to Camp Poland, Gen. Alger notified the officers of the Second Regiment that this regiment would be one of the regiments retained in the service, to do duty in the West Indies.

## The D. L. & N.

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## All Represented.

It is probable that at the reception to be given Dr. Kalb at the First Presbyterian church, Wednesday evening, a relative representative of every pastor of the church has ever had, and the only standard supply who was not a pastor, will be present and help Dr. Kalb receive.

## Notice to Bidders.

Bids will be received by committee on repairs, of Huntville Presbyterian Church, for the building of a new furnace, new stand, glass windows, new doors, inside decorations and painting and carpenter work up Oct. 1, 1898. For information inquire of Committee, J. S. MONTGOMERY, JAS. PROBERTS.

## Get a Coop.

With the grand show of poultry that is now booked for the fair, it is impossible for the management to furnish coops. So the major portion of the exhibitors have willingly volunteered to furnish their own. Build them 2 or 2½ feet high and 2 feet wide, and any length desired.

The road race at the fair will start horses that have never been in a race. The purse is \$50.00.

## The Second to Go to the Philippines.

This is the conjecture of some of the newspapers, but it seems to be founded on nothing but the fact that Doctor Bain, who was made a Division Surgeon and sent to Porto Rico, has been ordered back to his regiment. This is building a pretentious structure on a very slim foundation. Under General Alger's orders regimental hospitals are to be established, and it is probably owing to this fact that Mr. Bain has been ordered to his regiment.

## New Swindle.

Farmers and fruit growers in Ohio are being swindled again by sharpers. The new scheme is a wonderful apple tree, which is sold at a large price, and is described as bearing Asiatic fruit, and never rots, but simply shrivels up, and could be at any time soaked in warm water, when it returns to its natural size, shape, color and flavor. The sharpers allege that the tree gives abundant shade, require no cultivation, and bear fruit of uniform size; from June to October.—Sidney Journal.

## New Mail Route.

Postmaster Zaring has received word that mails will be carried over the D. & L. N. railroad, beginning the 10th of October.

As this will do away with the necessity for the present star routes, it is probable that they will be abandoned, and that a new star route from East Liberty to North Greenfield, New Jerusalem, Pickertown and Middleburg will be established; and one from Bloom Centre via Loganville to De Graff.

## A Curiosity.

Mr. Elwood Van Horn, of Stokes township, brought to our office yesterday, a very rare curiosity, it being the quarter of a potato, petrified. It was dug from a potato hill, last week, and was planted in May. The shape of the cutting is exactly preserved, showing the skin of the potato, and the marks of the knife. In other hills other cuttings were found, that had not decayed but they were not petrified. This petrification took place within four months—the ground had never been in potatoes before—but if some evolutionist had picked it up, he would doubtless have blamed the "Mound Builders" or the "Cave Dwellers" with the work!

## The Governor.

Gov. Bushnell and his staff were given an ovation on reaching Cincinnati yesterday. There is no more popular man in the State, and he has earned the good opinion of every one by his excellent and business like administration.—Piquette Dispatch.

The Governor has thousands of friends and is making an excellent official. Let him go ahead and perform his full duty and the people will stand by him.—Urbana Citizen.

By the way, the clique that thought to give him a dab by not referring to him in the state platform, are keeping very mum these days. They are already heartily ashamed of their foolishness. We will forgive them, and let it go at that.—Ironton Register.

## AT MIDDLEBURG.

The ladies of the M. P. Church at Middleburg, will serve a New England dinner and supper on the day of the November election.

## COMMITTEE.

Bellefontaine Presbytery meets this evening, at 7:00 in the First Presbyterian church.

Tin cans, best, China Hall.

## THE CELEBRATION

Of Dr. Kalb's 35th Anniversary.

It Promises to Be a Very Interesting Occasion.

The various committees have been working industriously to make the Dr. Kalb anniversary exercises profitable and interesting, and with much promise of success.

Presbytery meets this evening, and Dr. Clotkey, of Galion, will deliver the opening sermon.

Wednesday, Rev. E. P. Elcock will deliver his address on Dr. Kalb's work in the ministry, as per appointment of Presbytery.

Wednesday afternoon, the exercises of the Presbytery will be supplemented by the following program, which will draw out some very instructive and excellent papers and addresses.

The amended and complete program is as follows:

## PROGRAM.

Prayer. Music.

1. The Founders of the Church and their Descendants. W. V. MARQUESS.

2. The Pastors of the Church. W. H. WARR.

3. The Children of the Church, who have entered the Ministry and Mission Fields. Mrs. S. A. BUCHANAN.

4. The Children of the Church. J. E. WEST.

5. The work and influence of the Church in the community. Rev. G. W. HAMILTON.

6. Our Temples of worship. E. J. HOWNSTINE.

7. The Singers in Israel. G. M. STEVENSON.

8. Our Pastor's work and his influence on our city. Mrs. J. M. RINDER.

9. Our Pastor's wife. Mrs. J. M. RINDER.

10. Reminiscences.

Every minister who has acted as pastor of the church, since its organization will be represented.

Rev. Joseph Stevenson, the founder of the church, and its first pastor, will be represented by his son, Mr. Joseph Stevenson, and a number of grandchildren.

Rev. George Gregg will be represented by his daughter, Mrs. Harriett Akey, of Fort Wayne, Ind.

Rev. George Bergen will be represented by his niece, Mrs. J. M. McCracken, of our city.

Rev. E. B. Radtkeperger will be represented by Mrs. Radtkeperger, his widow.

And it is hoped that Rev. Mr. Holliday, who was stated supply for two years—about 1841-42—will also be with us.

The public is cordially invited to these exercises.

In the evening, the congregation will have a reception for Dr. Kalb, to which all the ministers in the city have been invited.

The occasion will be one long to be remembered by the church.

## Bicycle Races at the Fair.

The prizes in the bicycle races at the fair, are as follows:

Three Mile Lap Race—Wednesday. Open to adjoining counties.

1 Diamond, \$20.00.

2 Set of Racing Tires, \$12.00.

3 Christy Saddle, \$6.00.

4 Acetate Lamp, \$5.00.

5 Pair of Pedals.

County Championship, Thursday.

1 Gold Medal, \$20.00.

2 Silver Medal, \$10.00.

## Teachers Bi-Monthly.

The following is the program for the First Teacher's Bi-Monthly, to be held in Educational Hall, Bellefontaine, O., October 15, 1898. Beginning at 9:30.

## FORENOON SESSION.

Round Table.....Conducted by Prof. Britton, of DeGraff.

## AFTERNOON SESSION.

Time 1:15. Music.

Recitation.....Miss Inez Boardman.

Paper—Grammar.....Prof. E. M. Day.

Discussion opened by W. H. Kemper.

Paper—Higher Pay and Better Teaching.....Discussion opened by O. E. Van Voorhis.

Paper—School Legislation.....Hon. J. P. Bowers.

Parliamentary Business.

Prof. W. S. Jones, Pres. Clara Jordan, Sec'y.

## Fair Aim.

The Fair for 1898 will be ideal. In every department the aim will be to have new departures attempted, new features predominate and new ideas prevail.

The officers and managers are wide awake to the responsibilities of such an occasion and are diligently preparing for an exhibition that will stand unparalleled in the height of its aims, the magnitude of its scope and the completeness of its success.

You should attend the Fair daily, join the galaxy of smiling faces that are partaking of the cheerful influences that will abound. See the scientific aid toward the amelioration of the condition of mankind, rest from your cares, strengthen and expand your knowledge, partake of the hospitality of members of the society, encourage their ardor and ill paid efforts, congratulate them and elevate agriculture, the basis of nearly all mechanical, industrial and commercial prosperity.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

September.

17. George Slingsland, Cora Rame.

21. John M. Alcott, Gertrude M. Clark.

22. B. W. Bowen, Maudie Dempsey.

22. Franklin H. Nachtrieb, Essie May Quigley.

23. John E. Esley, Iva M. Clough.

23. Reuben Martin, Vicinda Cummings.

23. Walter S. Watson, Minnie G. Callahan.

24. Lewis H. Downs, Cora D. Dursinger.

Preserving kettles—all kinds, China Hall.

## THE CONGREGATION

Joins Dr. Kalb in His Request to Dissolve the Pastoral Relation.

As per previous announcement, Dr. G. L. Kalb, at the close of the morning services in the Presbyterian church, read the announcement for the meeting of the congregation after the benediction, to consider his request to Presbytery to dissolve his pastoral relation to the church, which has continued for over 35 years.

The Doctor, in his remarks, gave his reasons for the step he was taking, and asked the congregation to grant his request. His advancing years, his long service, and his physical infirmities, were the principal reasons for his step.

After the benediction, on motion of Mr. R. B. Kellar, Judge West was made moderator of the meeting, and Mr. A. Jay Miller, permanent clerk, acted as Secretary.

After remarks by Judge J. D. McLaughlin and Dr. R. W. Chalfant, the following resolutions were adopted with an dissenting vote, though many opposed to parting with their pastor refused to vote, and nearly all those voting in the affirmative, did so at his request.

Whereas, Our pastor, Dr. G. L. Kalb, has requested that we, the congregation of the First Presbyterian church of Bellefontaine, Ohio, unite with him in a request to the Presbytery of Bellefontaine, at its approaching meeting, for a dissolution of the pastoral relation that has existed between him and us for more than thirty-five years, and has submitted his reasons therefor to us; therefore be it,

Resolved, By the congregation of the First Presbyterian church of Bellefontaine, Ohio, duly convened, that for the reasons so stated, but more especially on account of his personal desire, therefore we accede to said request, and do hereby unite with him in asking the Presbytery of Bellefontaine for a dissolution of the pastoral relation heretofore and now existing between him and this congregation; be it further

Resolved, That the officers of this meeting, the trustees of this church, be and they are hereby authorized and directed, and that the Presbytery of Bellefontaine be requested to do and perform all things necessary and requisite to create and constitute Dr. Kalb as pastor emeritus of this congregation on such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed upon between said officers and said pastor to continue as long as he may reside and associate with us; be it further

Resolved, That said Presbytery of Bellefontaine be requested to designate and appoint Dr. Kalb as Moderator of the Session of this church and as its stated supply until a successor to him as pastor shall have been selected and duly ordained.

The congregation was unusually large, and many were moved to tears. To the knowledge that the Doctor and Mrs. Kalb will remain with us, and the fact that he is to be "pastor emeritus" to the congregation, has done much to reconcile his friends to this action, but all feel sad that the time has come when the step must be taken.

## "Hitchup Race" at the Fair.

On Thursday of the Fair, a one half mile "hitchup" race will be given. The contestants will bring horse, buggy and harness in front of grand stand, the horse being tied to the rear of buggy, and the driver shall stand in vehicle until the top of bell in Judge's stand, when he will proceed to hitch up, drive a half mile, trot, pace or run, unhitch and place harness and horse the same as at start, and the first man to accomplish this work and stand in his buggy wins the race. Purse \$10.00, entrance free.

## Sunday School Convention.

The Jefferson Township Sunday Schools held a very interesting convention last Sunday evening at the Friends church at Goshen. There was a large audience and a good program well rendered. The principal addresses were made by Rev. A. J. Honk, of West Liberty, and J. C. Hadley, pastor of the Friends church. President C. G. Parker and Secretary H. C. Moore, of the County Association were present, and each made some remarks.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows:

President, A. G. Sidesinger; Vice President, Columbus Lindsey; Secretary, Mrs. Laura Oakland; Treasurer, Oliver Oakland; Correspondent, O. H. Fawcett.

The Jefferson Township Sunday Schools are taking advanced ground in their noble work.

## State Convention W. C. T. U.

The Ohio State Convention of the W.